

News Gathered During the Past Week

The Most Important Happenings of a Week Briefly
Told by Our Staff Correspondents

Rockford Rays.

Jas. Coy went to see his best girl Saturday night. That long looked for rain arrived Sunday night.

Miss Mae Young spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks.

Corn looks fine around here now. Here's hoping for a good crop this year.

Austin Swearingin and family spent Sunday at the home of Lon Solomon.

There is prayer meeting at Elm Ridge, Sunday at 3 p. m. Everybody is invited to attend.

Tobacco setters are a little late on account of the dry weather, but everyone is hustling since the rain.

Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Balcom at John Haywards, A. M. Webb and family at W. S. Temples, Fred Linne-mann Jr., and family, Miss Jessie Johnson and Lonnie Young at E. O. Johnsons, grandma Johnson and Sam Graham at James Johnson.

Westville Waits.

Mrs. Inez Davis visited Marceline friends first of the week.

Earl and Tim Pitts were guests of Bynumville friends last week.

Charlie Hains returned Monday from a visit to Marceline friends.

Gus Harmon and family of Prairie Hill were Sunday guests at the Hays home.

Lammot Bros. circus will be in Westville Friday of this week. Of course every body will go.

The rainfall of Sunday night was very beneficial to crops which were beginning to dry up.

Jack Level visited home folks the latter part of the week returning to Mendon Sunday evening.

D. W. Veal and wife returned Monday from Kansas City and other points where they have been visiting.

There is no reason why everybody should not celebrate the 4th as there are several picnics billed for that day.

Considerable damage was done by electricity, during the recent storm, to buildings and stock in this and other localities.

Mrs. E. B. Gordon returned recently from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Evans, and son, Lindsey Gordon of Marceline.

Willis Smith attended the installation of officers and ban-

quet of A. F. and A. M. lodge at Mussel Fork Saturday evening.

Mrs. Alice Pitts Sportsman and little twin daughters came in from Jamestown, N. D. Monday to spend the summer with Mrs. Sportsman's parents.

The roads south of Westville under the supervision of Sydney Smith, have been improved and yet they are not as good as they might be made if the land owners would turn out and donate work along the route.

Dean Lake Doings.

Chester Clark was in Triplett Monday on business.

Mrs. Jennie Bunch has returned home from LaPlata where she has been visiting her husbands parents for several weeks.

Mrs. Linn Carr of Marceline and children have been the guests of her father-in-law, Jeff Carr and his family, for a few days.

Messrs. Larkin and William Crew, spent Sunday in Kansas City the guests of their brother, Jim Crew and family, and other relatives.

Annabelle Clarke, the child who broke her arm last Thursday afternoon is getting along nicely under the care of Dr. G. Brown, of Triplett.

"Grandma" Crew's returned home from Kansas City Sunday where she has been visiting her son, Jim and family and other relatives for the past week.

Zelda, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Isle died Monday morning, June 20, after liv- six and one half hours. Her parents also lost another daughter, Valpa, who died about eight months ago. The bereaved parents have the heartfelt sympathy of a host of friends.

Pee Dee Prattle.

Judge Lamb of Salisbury was circulating among his friends here this week.

Rev. Mitchell of Keytesville filled his appointment at the church last Friday night.

Some of our people are attending the carnival at Salisbury this week but most of them are in their corn fields.

Mrs. Vanocamp returned to her home in Kansas City last Saturday after visiting her brother W. H. Claypool and family several weeks.

Miss Hattie Collet closed her spring term of school at Lagonda last Friday and is at home for her vacation. We understand

she has been employed to teach the coming winter term at the same place.

Mervin McAdams blew in last week on a short furlough from Columbia and Frankie smiled a smile that hasn't grown dim since he returned.

Miss Pansy Chrans closed her school here Thursday. She is a very careful teacher and certainly understands the art of pedagogy. and the district who secures her services as teacher is fortunate indeed.

Pee Dee will have no 4th of July celebration this year. Our people will go to Keytesville and Bynumville this time and maybe we will be able to wake up by the time another 4th comes. It would be too bad to disturb our slumbers just now.

Sheep shearing is still the order of the day in this part of the country, and the best price is 20 cents per pound, as against 30 cents a year ago. We presume this is one result of the new tariff law—cheap wool and high priced clothing.

Mike Matters.

There was a party at Jack Hedrick's Saturday night.

Rev. R. S. Maupin visited at Chas. Hedrick's last Monday and Friday.

Rev. Young will preach at this place next Sturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Malissa Coy is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks.

Bert Willet and family of near Marceline were Sunday guests at John Redding's.

Miss Valera Hedrick of Marceline is spending the week with her brothers on the farm.

Miss Naomi Grubbs of Rothville was a guest at her grandmother's, Mrs. Green, Sunday.

Miss Elam closed a term of school at Bells schoolhouse Thursday, and Miss Barry at the Maupin Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Veal returned Monday from their visit in Kansas City and Platte county. They think they have seen enough sights, had enough rest and fun to last them awhile and say there's no place like home.

Salisbury Scribbings.

The post office has been repaired and looks as neat as a new pin.

Miss Annie Kaeing, a teacher in St. Louis school, is here visiting relatives.

Miss Diantha Brummall has been suffering from a bilious spell, but is better.

Harry Street has placed a solid foundation under his dwelling and raised the same several inches.

Mrs. A. H. Drunert and Mrs. Young, sisters of Mayor Edwards are here visiting their brother and his family.

Mrs. N. E. Mosher and children of Hugo, Colo., are here on a visit. They like Colorado and all are doing well there.

W. S. Gallemore and family visited the former's father near Pee Dee last Sunday and found him in reasonable health.

We are glad to learn that the health of Mrs. H. H. Richardson has improved and the same can be said about Maj. Walton.

W. L. Thompson of Roanoke, Mo., 84 years old, was over on business Wednesday. He was accompanied by Sim Hudson the merchant.

Oscar Wilkinson and family of Oklahoma have returned to Salisbury and the chances are they will remain in Missouri, if not right here at home.

At a meeting of the cemetery association J. H. Green and C. D. Reed were re-elected to succeed themselves as directors and C. M. Prescott as collector.

The foundation of the new Methodist church is now in and is a substantial looking job. Some are afraid it will not be as

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durable as stone, but if properly mixed and tempered we think it will be all right.

The street carnival is now in full swing and drawing large crowds nightly. They seem to be nice people and the shows and other attractions are about the average.

H. C. Morehead and wife have taken charge of the old Dickson Hotel and will keep boarders and lodgers. It will be known as the Cottage hotel. We wish them success.

There was some excitement Saturday when John Ulrich and Wm. Sparran engaged in a fistouff on Broadway in front of Hunker Hardware Co.'s store. Ulrich, it is said, was the aggressor and may be called on later to answer to an infraction of the law.

Salisbury has a carload of worthless dogs of her own and the street carnival has furnished nearly as many more and the result is to make both day and night hideous.

On the cure, the flea bitten cure. Can any nuisance on earth be worse Than this howling, fighting mongrel mob That murders sheep and slumbers rob Till men and women both half dead Think awful things that can't be said.

Rev. W. H. Sears, 16 years missionary in China, now home on a visit, tells us there is a spirit of unrest all over the Flowery Kingdom, that sooner or later will develop into an attempt to over throw the present dynasty, but the natives, as a rule have ceased to look on foreigners as "devils" and now regard them as friends. Bio. Sears will remain in this county about six months before returning to his field of labor.

The address delivered by Prof. Kirk to the Chariton county teachers Friday night at the Christian church, while somewhat unique and out of the ordinary was full of practical ideas

and calculated to inspire teachers to nobler efforts. He deplored the primeval examinations and temporary certificates doled out to teachers on annual examinations and hoped to see the time when a diploma for a teacher performed the same office as those for the lawyer, doctor, minister etc. His address was well received, but on account of the heat, few outside the teachers were present.

The Bynumville Sunday-school will give a picnic in Porter's grove Saturday, July 2. Music will be furnished by the Bynumville Cornet band and good speakers, suitably for such an occasion, will deliver addresses.

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